

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges  
Third Quarter Summary Report  
Based On Number of Reported Cases  
July - September 2002**

Juvenile Court **HICKMAN**  
Court Number **41**

July - September 2002                      97 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted  
Affecting                                      92 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

**Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges**                      *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons  
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,  
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Other Sexual Offenses
1	OR	0.87% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
14	OR	12.17% Assault
0	OR	0.00% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
1	OR	0.87% Aggravated Burglary
4	OR	3.48% Theft of Property
4	OR	3.48% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
4	OR	3.48% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR	0.00%	Sale of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00%	Other Drug Offenses
4	OR	3.48%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
0	OR	0.00%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
1	OR	0.87%	Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
1	OR	0.87%	Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00%	Escape
0	OR	0.00%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
2	OR	1.74%	Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
0	OR	0.00%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
2	OR	1.74%	Harassment
0	OR	0.00%	Failure to Appear
0	OR	0.00%	Filing a False Police Report
0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Impersonation
2	OR	1.74%	Disorderly Conduct
2	OR	1.74%	Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00%	Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00%	Gambling
2	OR	1.74%	Traffic
0	OR	0.00%	Local Ordinances
1	OR	0.87%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00%	Contempt of Court
4	OR	3.48%	Violation of Probation
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Aftercare
15	OR	13.04%	Unruly Behavior
0	OR	0.00%	Truancy
2	OR	1.74%	In-State Runaway
1	OR	0.87%	Out-of-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00%	Possession of Tobacco Products
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
14	OR	12.17%	Dependency/Neglect
0	OR	0.00%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00%	Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00%	Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00%	Foster Care Review
10	OR	8.70%	Custody
1	OR	0.87%	Visitation
2	OR	1.74%	Paternity/Legitimation
11	OR	9.57%	Child Support
0	OR	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00%	Consent to Marry
10	OR	8.70%	Other

115	OR	100.00%	Total
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Of the 97 Cases, There Were

115 Referral Sources

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**Referral Source**

28	OR	24.3% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
25	OR	21.7% Were Referred By Parents
8	OR	7.0% Were Referred By Relatives
5	OR	4.3% Were Referred By Self
1	OR	0.9% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
7	OR	6.1% Were Referred By DCS
11	OR	9.6% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Court Staff
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Social Agency
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other Court
27	OR	23.5% Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
3	OR	2.6% Other
115	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 97 Cases, There Were 115 Intake Actions  
**Intake Actions**

114	OR	99.1% Petition Filed
0	OR	0.0% Motion Filed
1	OR	0.9% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Other
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
115	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 97 Cases:

#### Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
97	OR	100.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
97	OR	100.0% Total

#### Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

0	OR	0.0% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
97	OR	100.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
97	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

92 Children

#### Age of Child At Referral

24	OR	26.1% Birth Through Age 10
6	OR	6.5% Ages 11 Through 12
16	OR	17.4% Ages 13 Through 14
19	OR	20.7% Ages 15 Through 16
25	OR	27.2% Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0% Age 19 And Over
2	OR	2.2% Unknown/Not Reported
92	OR	100.0% Total

#### Sex of Child

60	OR	65.2% Male
32	OR	34.8% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
92	OR	100.0% Total

#### Race of Child

84	OR	91.3% White
3	OR	3.3% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
1	OR	1.1% Asian
3	OR	3.3% Mixed Race
1	OR	1.1% Unknown
92	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 92 Children Referred

#### Hispanic Origin

0	OR	0.0% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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#### Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

17	OR	18.5% Living With Both Biological Parents
1	OR	1.1% Living With Father And Stepmother
4	OR	4.3% Living With Mother And Stepfather

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47	OR	51.1% Living With Mother
3	OR	3.3% Living With Father
11	OR	12.0% Living With Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Living With Adoptive Parents
2	OR	2.2% Living With Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Living In A Group Home
1	OR	1.1% Living In A Residential Center
0	OR	0.0% Living In An Institution
4	OR	4.3% Living Independently
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
2	OR	2.2% Other
92	OR	100.0% Total

#### School Enrollment of Child

74	OR	80.4% Were Enrolled In School
16	OR	17.4% Were Not Enrolled In School
2	OR	2.2% Unknown
92	OR	100.0% Total

#### Last Grade Completed By Child

9	OR	9.8% Too Young For School
2	OR	2.2% Pre-School
1	OR	1.1% Finished Kindergarten
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 1
3	OR	3.3% Finished Grade 2
5	OR	5.4% Finished Grade 3
1	OR	1.1% Finished Grade 4
4	OR	4.3% Finished Grade 5
1	OR	1.1% Finished Grade 6
10	OR	10.9% Finished Grade 7
10	OR	10.9% Finished Grade 8
11	OR	12.0% Finished Grade 9
16	OR	17.4% Finished Grade 10
5	OR	5.4% Finished Grade 11
3	OR	3.3% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
0	OR	0.0% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
11	OR	12.0% Unknown
92	OR	100.0% Total

#### Enrolled In Special Education

17	OR	18.5% Were Enrolled In Special Education
68	OR	73.9% Not Enrolled In Special Education
7	OR	7.6% Unknown
92	OR	100.0% Total

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**NOTE:** In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate

number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are The		166 Specific Case Outcomes
19	OR	11.45% Case Dismissed
28	OR	16.87% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
2	OR	1.20% Warned/Counseled
1	OR	0.60% Held Open For Review
0	OR	0.00% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents
0	OR	0.00% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
2	OR	1.20% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
2	OR	1.20% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
1	OR	0.60% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
0	OR	0.00% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
1	OR	0.60% Fine
6	OR	3.61% Public Service
2	OR	1.20% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
5	OR	3.01% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% House Arrest
1	OR	0.60% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
5	OR	3.01% DCS Commitment/Custody
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
0	OR	0.00% Other Intensive Probation
9	OR	5.42% DCS Probation
0	OR	0.00% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
47	OR	28.31% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Continued

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11	OR	6.63% Custody Changed
3	OR	1.81% Custody Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
1	OR	0.60% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
1	OR	0.60% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
4	OR	2.41% Child Support Granted
6	OR	3.61% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
9	OR	5.42% Other
166	OR	100.00% Total

#### Disposed By

Of the 115 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

113	OR	98.3% Disposed By The Judge
2	OR	1.7% Disposed By The Referee
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
115	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 97 Cases Disposed,  
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The

115 Referral Reasons Was:

24	OR	20.9% Dismissed
35	OR	30.4% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
20	OR	17.4% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
3	OR	2.6% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
0	OR	0.0% Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.0% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
32	OR	27.8% Special Proceeding
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded
1	OR	0.9% Case Held Open
0	OR	0.0% Other
115	OR	100.0% Total